

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Zukor et al.) Group Art Unit: 3749
) Examiner: Jiping Lu
Serial No.: 10/693,371) Conf. No.: 2596
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Filed: October 24, 2003)
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For: Processing Cap Assembly for)
<u>Isolating Contents of a Container</u>)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT
AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Examiner Lu:

Thank you for the courtesy of a phone interview on January 13, 2009. Per your request, this is a Supplemental Amendment which further clarifies the response to Office Action filed by the Applicants on December 9, 2008 which was a reply to the non-final Office Action mailed June 11, 2008 setting a three (3) month statutory period for reply.

Please enter the following supplemental remarks and amendments into the record.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks are found on page 7 of this paper.